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In re the Application of:

Laurence HONARVAR

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SIMULTANEOUS CUSTOMER/ACCOUNT STRATEGY EXECUTION IN A DECISION

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

For:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 3, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on April 3, 2003.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please AMEND the claim as indicated below:

For the convenience of the Examiner, all the pending claims are reproduced below, in their current form, whether or not the claims are amended herein.

(FOUR TIMES AMENDED) A computer-implemented decision management process for evaluating a customer of an organization having more than one account, comprising:

loading all customer and account data required for evaluating the customer and